

# Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

## Texas State Operations Center



### Situation Awareness Brief



Friday, May 26<sup>th</sup> 2017  
As of 0900 CST

# Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
05/25/17	Initial Report of Road Closure (SH-55)	Edwards County	N
05/25/17	Update Report #1 of a Road Closure (SH-55)	Edwards County	N
05/26/17	Final Report of a Road Closure (SH-55)	Edwards County	Y
05/26/17	Initial Report of a Road Closure (IH 10)	Gonzales County	N

# Informational Products

## Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
05/25/17	NWS Fort Worth- Update: Memorial Day Weekend
05/25/17	Statewide Pre-Planned Events List for May 25, 2017
05/25/17	Statewide Pre-Planned Events Schedule and Map of Venues of 30,000 and Above Near Railroads for Week of 25 May 2017
05/25/17	NWS Houston/Galveston- Public Information Statement- NWS Damage Survey
05/25/17	NWS West Gulf River Forecast Center- Memorial Weekend Flooding Potential
05/25/17	NWS San Antonio- Public Information Statement- NWS Damage Survey
05/25/17	NWS Lake Charles- Weekly Webinar May 25
05/25/17	NWS Lake Charles- 2017 NOAA Hurricane Season Forecast
05/25/17	NWS Houston/Galveston- Update: Memorial Day Weekend Weather
05/25/17	NWS Austin/San Antonio Heat and Rainfall Update for the Holiday Weekend
05/26/17	NWS Shreveport: Chance of Severe Thunderstorms Saturday evening-night May 27 <sup>th</sup>
05/26/17	NWS Austin/San Antonio: UPDATE - Heat and Rainfall Update for the Holiday Weekend
05/26/17	FEMA Region 6 Daily Situation Awareness Brief

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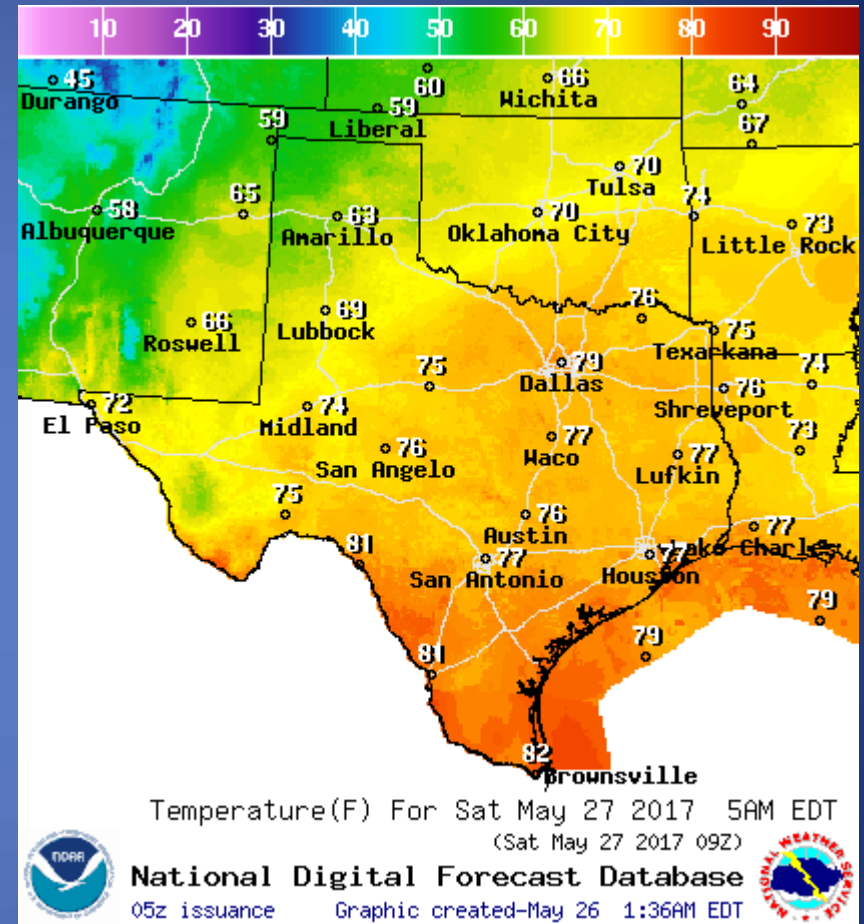
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DATE	SUBJECT
05/26/17	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Friday, May 26, 2017 for FEMA Region 6
05/26/17	NWS Fort Worth: UPDATE - Memorial Day Weekend Storms
05/26/17	NWS Houston/Galveston- Update: Weekend Heat, Widespread Rain Next Week

# Weather Forecast

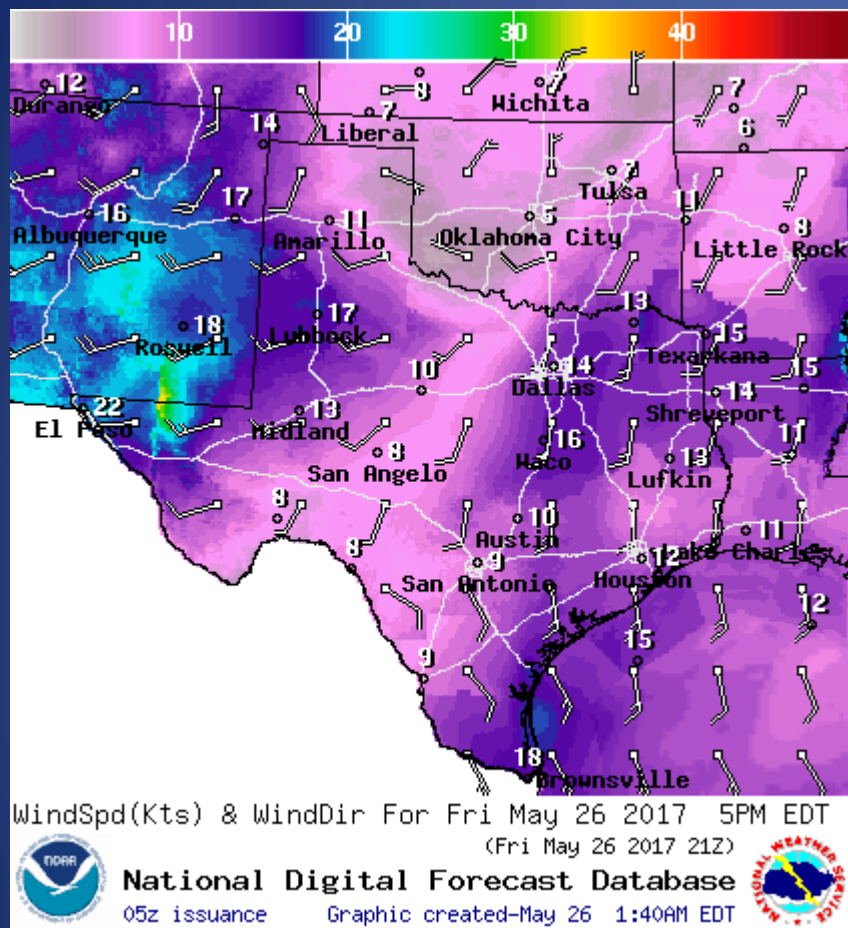


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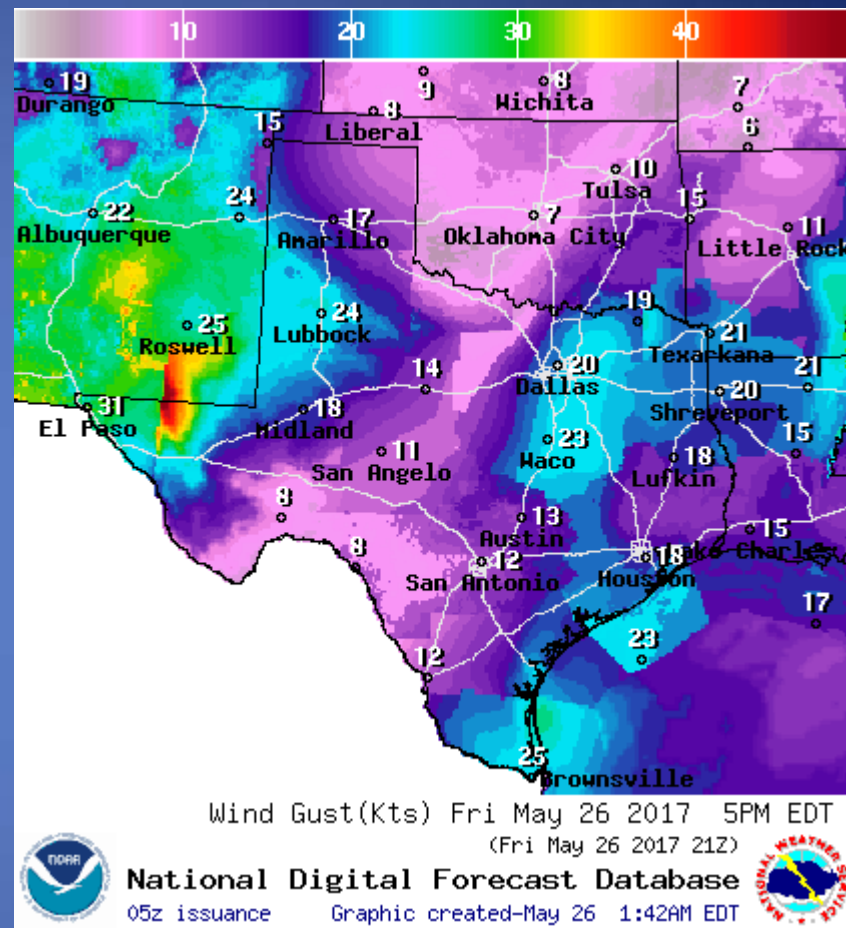


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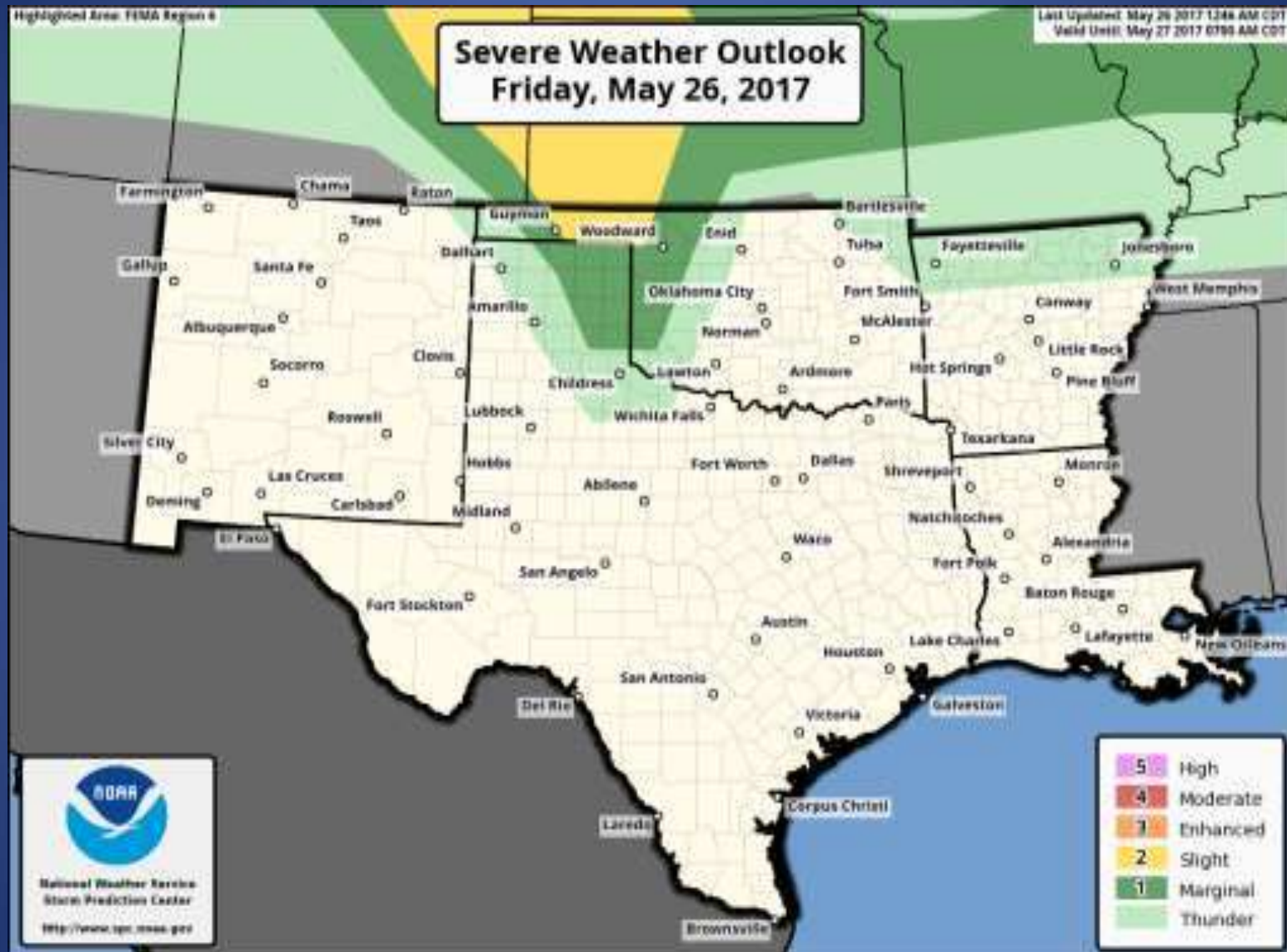


## Wind Speeds



## Gusts

# Hazardous Weather



# Hazardous Weather

## Unseasonably Hot

High temperatures

Weather Forecast Office  
Midland/Odessa, TX  
Issued May 26, 2017 3:40 AM CT



### Today



### Saturday



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Above-normal temperatures continue today! Remember to stay hydrated, and if you work outdoors or have outdoor plans protect yourself from the sun and take frequent breaks in an air-conditioned building if possible!



## Hot Today; Heat Advisory SW

National Weather Service Austin / San Antonio

### Forecast Max Heat Index



### Forecast Max High Temperature



- Max Heat Index 95-112 Most Areas This Afternoon
- 108 to 112 Southwest Counties Where Heat Advisory in Effect



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Under sunny skies, above normal temperatures are expected across South Central Texas. High temperatures will range from around the low 90s near the Coastal Plains to the upper 90s to 102 degrees along the Rio Grande. A more humid air-mass will move into our area leading to heat index values approaching 102-112 for locations in the southwest CWA where a heat advisory is in effect.

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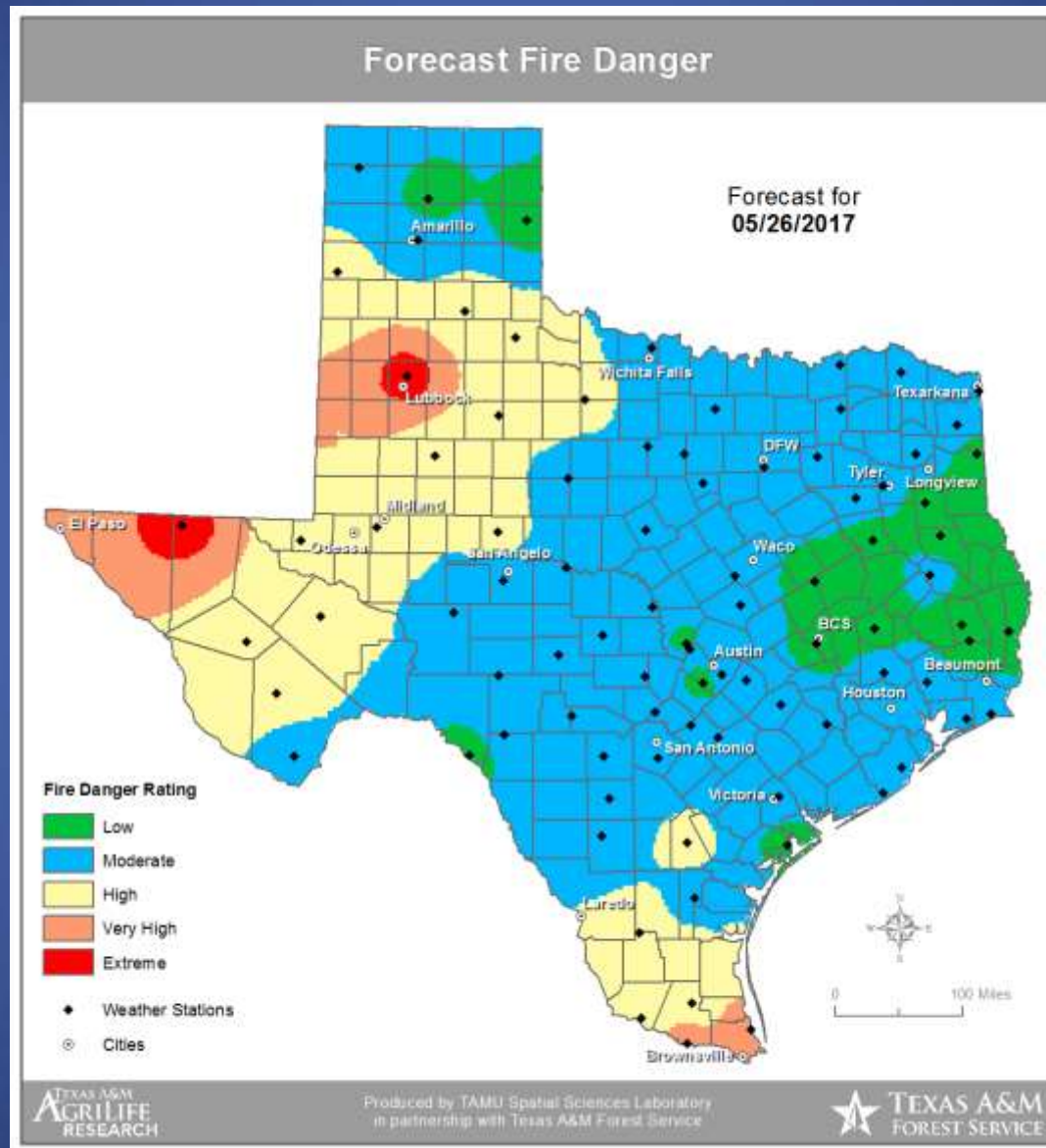


Hot and humid conditions are expected today across South Texas. Dangerous heat index values will be common and a heat advisory is in effect for locations along and west of a line from Kingsville to Three Rivers. Heat index values will be between 110 and 114 degrees

# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/25/17	Flood Warning Continues	Neches River Near Alto affecting Anderson, Cherokee, Houston and Trinity Counties; Neches River Near Diboll affecting Angelina, Houston, Polk, Trinity and Tyler Counties

# Fire Danger Forecast



# Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

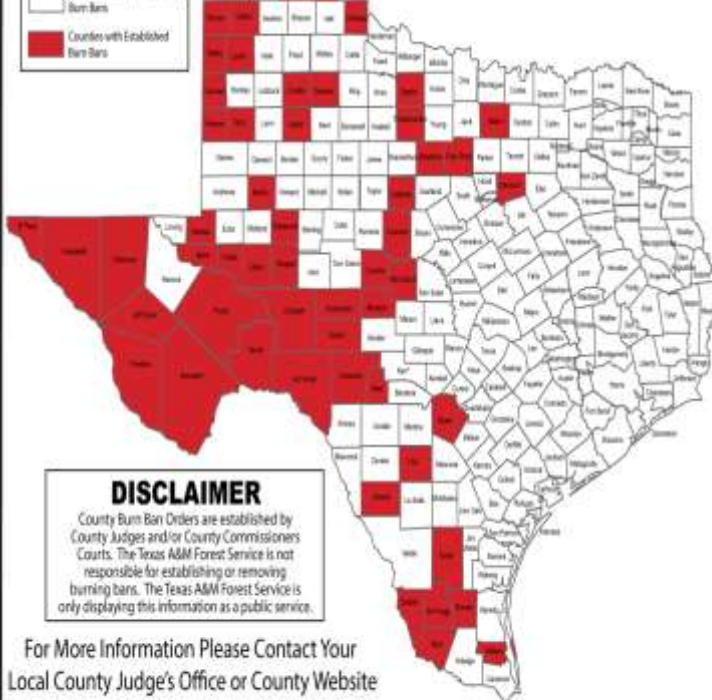
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Email updates to:  
[burnban@tfs.tamu.edu](mailto:burnban@tfs.tamu.edu)

Counties with Burn Bans: 56

Armstrong  
Bailey  
Baylor\*  
Bosar  
Brewster\*  
Brooks  
Callahan  
Castro  
Childress  
Cochran  
Coleman  
Concho  
Cone  
Crockett  
Crosby  
Culberson  
Dickens  
Dimes  
Donley\*  
Duval  
Edwards  
El Paso  
Frio  
Garza  
Glasscock  
Hudspeth  
Jeff Davis  
Jim Hogg  
Johnson\*  
Lamb  
Martin  
McCluskey  
Menard  
Ochiltree  
Odessa  
Palo Pinto  
Palmer  
Pecos  
Presidio  
Reagan  
Real  
Schlender  
Starr  
Stephens  
Sutton  
Terrell  
Terry  
Throckmorton  
Upton  
Val Verde



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County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

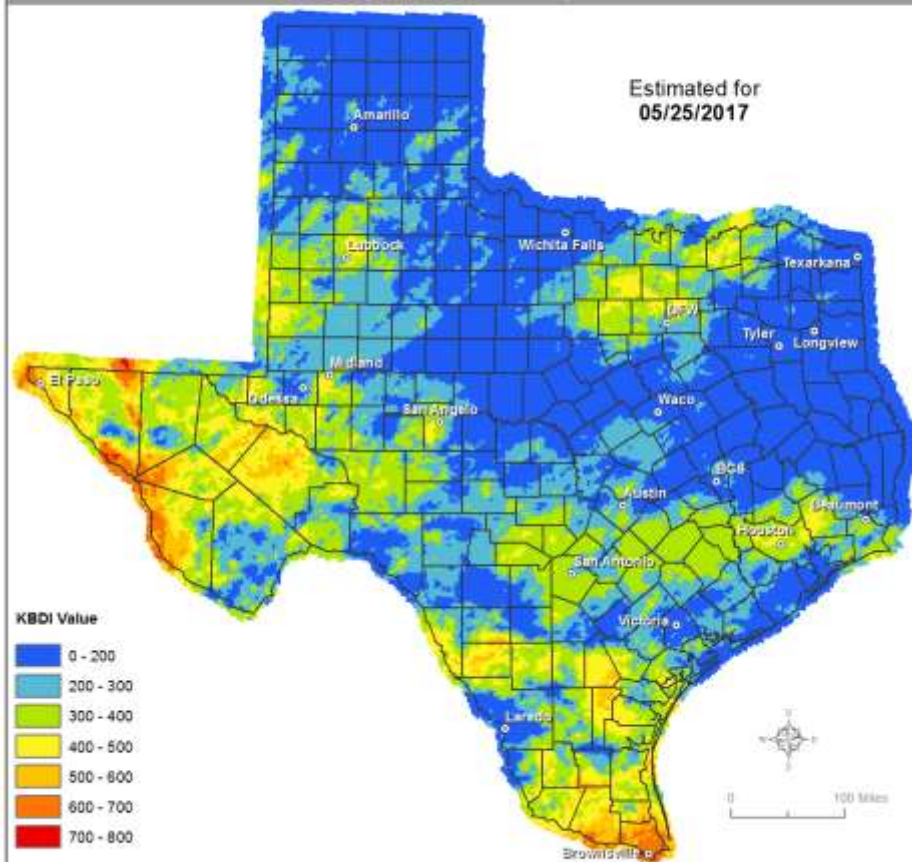
For More Information Please Contact Your  
Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: [www.weather.gov](http://www.weather.gov)  
Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfires/BurnBan.xml>

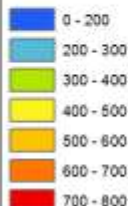
## Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for  
05/25/2017



KBDI Value



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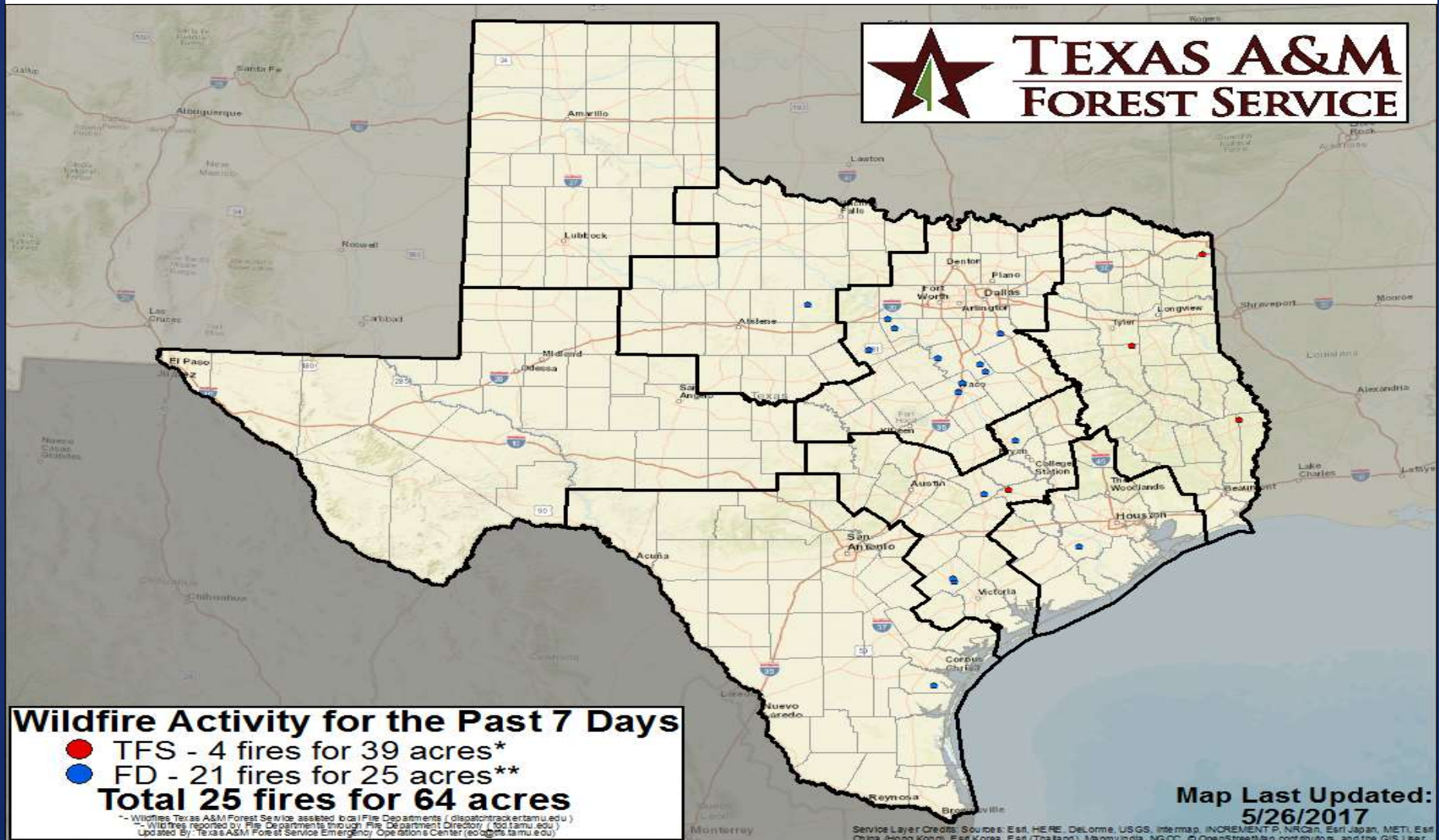
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# Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/25/17	Fire Danger Statement	Capstone
05/25/17	Red Flag Warning Remains in Effect	Guadalupe Mountains and Van Horn and Highway 54 Corridor affecting Culberson County
05/25/17	Fire Weather Watch Remains in Effect	Guadalupe Mountains and Van Horn and Highway 54 Corridor affecting Culberson County
05/26/17	Red Flag Warning	Guadalupe Mountains and Van Horn and Highway 54 Corridor affecting Culberson County
05/26/17	Fire Danger Statement	Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Parmer, Swisher, Terry and Yoakum Counties

# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 471 (no change) fires and 630,351 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 56 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 12 (no change) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
05/04/17	06/24/17	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Bonham
05/06/17	05/27/17	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Hebbronville
05/15/17	05/26/17	HazMat Technician - Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP) Certification	H-500	Allen
05/22/17	05/26/17	All-Hazards Incident Management Team	O-305	Orange
05/25/17	05/26/17	Advanced Incident Command System, Command and General Staff	G-400	Seminole
05/25/17	05/26/17	Hurricane Readiness for Coastal Communities	L-311	Victoria
05/25/17	07/13/17	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Bonham
05/26/17	05/26/17	Texas Public Officials Workshop	G-200	Brackettville

# Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
05/19/17	05/28/17	Houston	Houston Astros Home Baseball Game